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Pennsylvania's coal production is almost as great as that of the other twenty-seven producing States. "Mrs. Pankhurst," says an admirer, "is ahead of her time. She was born too soon." That depends. Mrs. P. could have made quite a hit in the French Revolution. —Charleston News and Courier.

HERE Y'ARE, WHY YOUNG MEN ADMIRE THE GIRLS.

Prof. Theodore W. Richards, of Cincinnati, president of the American Chemical Society, meeting at Cincinnati, has discovered why young men admire young women. The difference between her and a chemical laboratory is what causes the admiration, he says. Girls are mostly chemical laboratories, he avers. Her smiles and even the debatable slouch are only results of chemical reaction.

LOOKS LIKE COMMON SENSE.

The Colorado courts have been wrestling with the problem of what constitutes the gross proceeds of ore, which is one of the elements entering into the valuation of mines for the purposes of taxation under the law of that State. The question resolved itself into this: (1) Are the gross proceeds of an ore what the miner realizes at his place of production; (2) or what he realizes after he has delivered it to the smelter's works. The Supreme Court of Colorado, after pronouncing in favor of the latter construction, has reversed itself and adopted the former, which looks to us like common sense.

THE KENTUCKY BLACKBERRY.

Commissioner Newman, of the State Department of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics, recently made the prediction that Kentucky would some day be famous as a producer of blackberries. "No place in the world," he said, "grows blackberries like Kentucky."

The blackberries is indigenous to Kentucky soil. Probably there is no place where it grows in greater profusion. The plants spring up in unexpected places and they multiply rapidly. The native blackberry grows anywhere and everywhere, and is marvelously prolific. On this account not much attention has been paid to its cultivation, though it responds handsomely to careful tending.

It would be impossible to produce better blackberries, so far as quality and general utility are concerned, than can be grown in Kentucky. It may be that there are localities where bigger berries are produced, but certainly there is no place where better ones are grown. In this respect the situation is the same as with regard to strawberries. The simple truth is that Kentucky is a great berry State, but its greatness lies more in its prospects than in its achievements. Kentucky strawberries invariably find ready sale in the big city markets, and blackberries, if they were grown as a commercial proposition, quite as readily would find favor.

Really the Kentucky blackberry has never had a fair show. It is the most common of all the small fruits and berries. It has been aptly called "the poor man's fruit," and because of its very abundance it has not received the consideration that it deserved. It is the one luxury in the fruit line that has been in reach of the masses, growing in the fields, in the woods, in the fence corners, along the streams, on the hills and in the valleys—in some localities almost as omnipresent as grass itself. The presence of the plant has been so general that it is often regarded as a pest and "brier-cutting" is a part of the yearly agricultural performance in many sections of the State.

If the blackberry were a rare fruit its price would be above rubies or diamonds in the mine. Here in Kentucky where the crop is as certain as death and taxes, it sometimes finds a slow sale in the village markets at ten cents a bushel. Kentucky ought to develop the blackberry and make money and fame out of it.—Courier-Journal.

Tangoing helps the farmer, says the Charlotte (N. C.) Observer, and proceeds to prove it as follows: "These new dances call for a vast increase in phonograph records; phonograph records are made out of a composition into which denatured alcohol largely enters, and denatured alcohol is strictly a farm product made out of potatoes and other farm waste." By the same process of reasoning, we might say that the tango will boom the turpentine industry in North Carolina, for tangoing makes the muscles sore, sore muscles drive the tangoists to a liniment rub, and most of the popular liniments contain a certain percentage of turpentine.—Louisville Times.

THE SHREWD ADVERTISER.

Advertising! The thoughtful man thinks ahead. The prudent man profits by his ability to forecast the future as well as to scrutinize the present. One of the most prominent advertisers in the country says he makes it a rule to increase his advertising appropriation whenever business slackens, and he doubles and trebles it in times of severe business depression. This is his logical conclusion: "The new customers that I get when times are hard I always keep when times become good. They come to me largely from those who lose them because they fail to continue their publicity campaigns. A business depression in this country never lasts long, and it is always seed time for me. The harvest follows when prosperity returns." It is a wise man who knows his own business better than the other man does. Leslie's Weekly.

LESSON IN POLITENESS.

A Minneapolis school has lessons in street car courtesy. Chairs are arranged to represent seats in a car and these are occupied by boys. Presently a number of girls, representing women, enter the car, and, of course, the lesson is for the boys to get up and give them the seats. This they do, and thus get the habit, so that in actual life they do not forget their politeness.

Exercises of this kind promote the very best education. It is a sort that, according to the doctrines of this column, train the spirit, and unless this is trained it makes no difference how the mind is developed. Cube-root will never match courtesy in helping one to the higher levels of life. What are the fruits of the spirit we ask again and again? Giving up your seat to a lady on the street car. You may read the Anabasis and Virgil offhand, but if you fail in courtesy your education is only superficial. We will never reach true progress unless this lesson is learned.—Ohio State Journal.



THE DAILY NOVELETTE.

The Vanquishing of Vermicelli.
He came from fair Italia land,
Of sunny skies and the Black Hand;
And let it here be plainly said,
He painted every township red.

Shortly after 9 o'clock that morning Asperigo Vermicelli drew his gleaming stiletto and began to eat.

The morning was quite dark for 9 o'clock. There was no one to see. There was no sound to hear, only the zip, zip of Vermicelli's stiletto. Zip, zip, and again and again, zip! zip!

At 11 o'clock Asperigo Vermicelli's stiletto could still be seen flashing in the dark morning air.

"Vendettii!" he cried hoarsely. "Vendettii!" Both times hoarsely.

"I shall not be foiled!" hissed Vermicelli. "Carambi! Titta Ruffo! Fortissimo!"

It is 1 o'clock in the afternoon. High overhead an ominous black bird hovered.

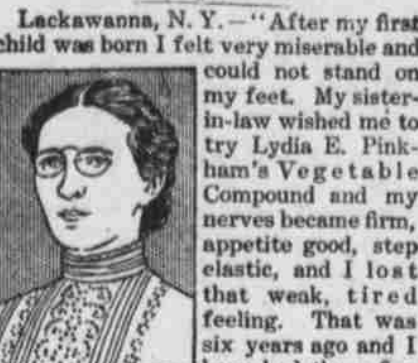
The overhead sun glinted on the darting stiletto. There was no moon.

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The red sun was busily setting when Vermicelli finally cast his stiletto to the ground with a terrible oath.

"Caruso!" he shrieked. "Six o'clock and I haven't gotten this pencil sharpened yet. Vengeance!" And with another oath almost as terrible, he threw the remaining three-quarters of an inch of his new pencil to the four winds.—Louisville Times.

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A TURNED CRANK.
Willie—"Paw, what is a genius?"
Paw—"A genius is a successful crank my son."—New York Sun.

Beware of Ointments For Catarrh That Contain Mercury.
As mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co.

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